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Response

Applicant: Daniel R. Tretter et al.

Serial No.: 10/672,544

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Docket No.: 200312433-1

Title: GENERATING AND DISPLAYING SPATIALLY OFFSET SUB-FRAMES**REMARKS**

This is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed November 24, 2006. In that Office Action, claims 1-7 and 12-18 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Allen, U.S. Publication No. 2004/0027363 ("Allen"); claims 8-11, 19, and 20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Allen in view of Willis et al., U.S. Publication No. 2004/0046752 ("Willis").

Claims 1-20 remain pending in the application and are presented for reconsideration and allowance.

35 U.S.C. §103 Rejections

Claims 1-7 and 12-18 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Allen, U.S. Publication No. 2004/0027363 ("Allen"). Claims 8-11, 19, and 20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Allen in view of Willis et al., U.S. Publication No. 2004/0046752 ("Willis"). Allen was filed on September 11, 2002, and was published on February 12, 2004. The present application was filed on September 26, 2003. Reference is made to the concurrently filed Statement of Denise Lee, an attorney of record for the above application. By this Statement, the present application (Serial No. 10/672,544) and Allen (U.S. Publication No. 2004/0027363) were, at the time the invention of the present application was made, owned by, or subject to an obligation of assignment to, the same entity, Hewlett-Packard Development Company, LP. Thus, Allen does not qualify as a reference under 35 U.S.C. §103/102(e).

In view of the above, Applicant respectfully requests removal of the rejection of claims 1-20 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a), and requests allowance of these claims.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above, Applicant respectfully submits that pending claims 1-20 are in form for allowance and are not taught or suggested by the cited references. Therefore, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections and allowance of claims 1-20 is respectfully requested.

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No fees are required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16(h)(i). However, if such fees are required, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

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